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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 23 April 2010 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) ☐ entered.
- b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

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- d) ☒ disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

The newly added independent claim 44 needs further search and/or consideration i.e., the claims must be numbered accordingly, search must be updated, fee must be paid for the additional claim, etc.

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